



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **MATSUMOTO, Tsutomu et al.**

Group Art Unit: 2135

Serial No.: **09/810,437**

Examiner: **Lin L.D. SON**

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For. **CARD SETTLEMENT METHOD AND SYSTEM USING MOBILE
INFORMATION TERMINAL**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Date: October 16, 2006

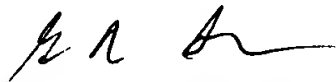
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 14, 2005 for one month, from September 14, 2005, to October 14, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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